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**KIRIRI WOMENS' UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION, 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR
FOR THE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
DBA 1101- BUSINESS LAW**

Date: 9TH AUGUST 2023

Time: 11:30AM-1:30PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- Identify five reasons that make law significant in the society. (5 Marks)
- As per the property law, outline five duties of a landlord. (5 Marks)
- Identify five sources from which Kenyan citizens can draw their laws. (5 Marks)
- State six benefits of seeking justice from administrative tribunals compared to the formal courts. (6 Marks)
- List five rights enjoyed by all Kenyan citizens according to the constitution. (5 Marks)
- Explain the composition and jurisdiction of the Supreme Court of Kenya. (4 Marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- Assess four circumstances in which the principal in an agency relationship may cancel an agency relationship without being liable to the agent for breach of contract. (8 Marks)
- Using examples, provide a detailed distinction between law and morality. (6 Marks)
- Explain the different ways in which property may be classified. (6 Marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- Evaluate four reasons that would make a will to be considered null and void under the law of succession. (8 Marks)
- Describe three ways in which agency relationship may be created. (6 Marks)
- Discuss the available defenses for torts that one may use to exonerate themselves. (8 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- Discuss four responsibilities that employers have to their employees, as directed by the Employment Act. (8 Marks)
- Classify three elements that are considered essential for a contract to be regarded valid. (6 Marks)
- Elaborate the characteristics of negotiable instruments. (6 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- Elaborate on the different ways in which law in Kenya is classified. (8 Marks)
- Discuss the jurisdiction of the different arms of the Kenyan government. (6 Marks)
- Assess the structure and hierarchy of the Kenyan courts. (6 Marks)

